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The Committee on Ways and Means (Atwater) recommended the following amendment:

Senate Amendment (with title amendment)

On page 19, line 16, after the word "Act"

insert: . The Agency for Workforce Innovation, in developing the allocation formula shall seek public comment from the early learning coalitions and other interested persons. The imposition of local match requirements relating to funds for the working poor who are eligible participants is discretionary, but if imposed, may not exceed 6 percent of total program dollars directed to a county for the funding-level match for the current fiscal year or the prior fiscal year spent on child care slots, whichever is less. An in-kind match is allowed if there is not a reduction in the number of slots or level of services from the provision of in-kind match. The Agency for Workforce Innovation shall grant a waiver of any match requirement to a small county that has a population of 75,000 or fewer which demonstrates a significant hardship in meeting the match requirement

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2 And the title is amended as follows:

3 On page 3, line 26, after the semicolon,

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5 insert:

6 requiring the agency to seek specific public

7 comment; limiting the local match funds;

8 limiting in-kind match in certain situations;

9 requiring the agency to waive match

10 requirements in small counties that demonstrate

11 significant hardship;

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